

1 **ORDINANCE NO. 2008 - 039** 2 3 **ORDINANCE OF** THE **BOARD OF** COUNTY AN4 **COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH** COUNTY, 5 KNOWN THE "ROADSIDE FLORIDA, TO BE AS VENDORS ORDINANCE"; AMENDING CHAPTER 23, 6 7 ARTICLE V OF THE PALM BEACH COUNTY CODE, PALM BEACH COUNTY 8 KNOWN AS THE ROADSIDE VENDORS ORDINANCE Do not take from (ORDINANCE 97-40); AMENDING SECTION 98, PERMIT MAIN LIBRARY the library REQUIRED FOR COMMERCIAL USE OF COUNTY RIGHTS-OF-WAY; AMENDING SECTION 100, CRITERIA 120 FOR VENDING LOCATIONS; AMENDING SECTION 102, 130 APPLICATION FOR PERMIT; AMENDING SECTION 103, FEES; AMENDING SECTION 104, CONDITIONS OF 15 PERMIT; AMENDING SECTION 108, VOLUNTARY 16 RELOCATION; AMENDING SECTION 109, RENEWAL OF 17 PERMIT; AMENDING SECTION 110, REVOCATION OF 18 PERMITS; **AMENDING SECTION** 111, 19 PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT; 20 PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR 21 **INCLUSION** IN THE CODE **OF LAWS** AND 22 ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATE. 23 WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statutes, Section 336.02, the Board of County 24 Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, is invested with the general superintendence and 25 control of County roads; and 26 WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, 27 has determined that it is in the best interest of the public to amend the Roadside Vendors 28 Ordinance to allow increased vending area of operation and restrict vendors from right-of-way 29 used as parking for County Parks; and 30 WHEREAS, the Roadside Vendors Ordinance has not been amended since 1997 and 31 therefore required changes to clarify, and accommodate agency changes, increase fees, insurance 32 and bond amounts and to update the appeal process by use of a Hearing Officer; and 33 WHEREAS, Palm Beach County, Florida, is a charter County and has all powers of 34 local self government. 35 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY 36 COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that: 37 1. The following Sections of the Roadside Vendors Ordinance as codified in the Palm Beach 38 County Code Chapter 23, Article V, are hereby amended as follows: 39 PERMIT REQUIRED FOR COMMERCIAL USE OF COUNTY SECTION 23-98. 40 RIGHT-OF-WAY

(a) It is unlawful and subject to the penalties and procedures provided in this

Ordinance to make any commercial use of County-owned and maintained right-

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of-way or appendages thereto, including but not limited to, rest areas, wayside
parks, boat launching ramps, weigh stations and scenic easements in the
unincorporated area of the County, without first obtaining a permit for permissible
use in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance. Commercial use
includes, but is not limited to, the sale, advertising, or display for sale of any
merchandise; servicing or repairing of any vehicles, except for rendering of
emergency service; storage of vehicles being serviced or repaired on abutting
property or elsewhere; solicitation for the sale of goods, property or services,
whether for profit or charity; and display of advertising of any kind.

- (b) A Roadside Vendor Permit (hereinafter "Permit") is valid only to the individual, partnership or corporation (hereinafter "Business Entity") to whom it is issued and who is named therein, and cannot be sold or transferred to another Business Entity.
- (c) Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no business tax receipt issued pursuant to Chapter 17, Article II, of the Palm Beach County Code, shall be deemed a Permit to vend from any County right-of-way.

SECTION 23-100. CRITERIA FOR VENDING LOCATIONS

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It is unlawful and subject to penalties and procedures provided in this Ordinance for any Business Entity to vend at a location on County right-of-way in the unincorporated area of the County which has not been approved by the Engineering and Public Works Department (hereinafter "Engineering Department"). Vending Location (hereinafter "Location") is defined as the site or position where vending may be permitted.

- (1) The Engineering Department shall NOT approve Locations:
- a. On state or private roads, private property, or within municipalities.
- b. On the side of the road which contains curbing, public sidewalks, driveways, bike paths or pathways, or on improved or maintained swale areas.
- c. Which abut residentially developed property. This prohibits vending in front of (on the same side of the street as) a residence, unless there is an intervening easement or right-of-way (e.g., a canal) separating the Location from the residence.

Î	d.	Within five hundred (500) feet of an established ongoing legally zoned
2		business selling similar commodities. Except that an ongoing legally existing
3		business which complies with all applicable land development regulations
4		may be issued a Permit to operate in conjunction with that business on County
5		right-of-way abutting said business, only to the extent allowed in the zoning
6		district applicable to the abutting property.
7	e.	Which require, promote or cause any vehicle to stop, stand or park in violation
8		of, or visually impair an official traffic control device, including but not
9		limited to, signs, signals, and markings erected by authority of the County for
10		the purpose of regulating, moving or guiding traffic.
11	f.	On two-lane roads in a residentially zoned (does not include zoned
12		agricultural/residential) area within five hundred (500) feet of a residential
13		unit and two hundred (200) feet of a residential property line.
14	g.	Within three hundred (300) feet of any property containing a pre-school,
15		elementary, middle or high school facility.
16	h.	Within three hundred (300) feet of any property containing a church, temple,
17		synagogue or other place of worship or assembly.
18	i.	Within three hundred (300) feet of any property containing an established day
19		care facility. Private residences are exempt from this restriction.
20	j.	On areas of right-of-way where shoulders are used for designated parking
21		abutting County parks. Current Permittees located on areas covered by this
22		provision may renew their permit for these Locations provided the Permittee
23		remains the same, there is no change in product category, the Location does
24		not become ineligible and all other criteria are met. Under no circumstances
25		will these Locations be available for anyone other than the Permittee holding
26		the permit for these Locations as of the effective date of this Ordinance.
27	k.	Unable to accommodate the maximum total vending area of operation as
28		provided in Chapter 23, Article V, Section 104-(16), (17).
29	(2) The Engineering Department shall only approve Locations:
30	a	. On a County owned and maintained right-of-way in the unincorporated area
31		of the County.

1	b. That are a minimum of one hundred (100) feet from the intersection of any
2	two (2) road right-of-way and/or a driveway.
3	c. That are at least fifteen hundred (1500) feet from any other approved
4	Location.
5	d. With adequate sight distance and parking area to ensure safe vending
6	operation with respect to normal movement of traffic in relation to the
7	Location on the right-of-way.
8	(3) If, after a Permit has been issued, a Location becomes ineligible due to changes
9	including, but not limited to, traffic flow, storage, curbing, signalization, speed limits,
10	development, pathways, sidewalks or municipal boundaries, the Permit must be relocated. If the
11	Location conflicts with any construction, reconstruction, or any project performed or permitted
12	by the County or its authorized representative(s) which is in the interest of the public, the Permit
13	is suspended for the duration of the conflict and may be relocated.
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15	SECTION 23-102. APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.
16 17	(a) The following information is to be provided on an Application for Permit,
18	available from the Engineering Department:
19	(1) Type of application including, but not limited to, new, renewal, County-
20	mandated relocation and voluntary relocation.
21	(2) Type of business including, but not limited to, sole proprietor, partnership
22	and corporation.
23	(3) Applicant's name must appear on all subsequent required documents. If
24	the applicant is a corporation, the name of a contact individual who is an
25	officer/manager of the corporation must be specified. If the applicant is a
26	partnership, the names of all partners must be specified.
27	(4) Any applicant intending to conduct business under any name other than
28	applicant's legal name (e.g. d/b/a) must provide a copy of the Fictitious
29	Name paperwork that has been filed with the Secretary of State. The
30	Fictitious Name must also appear on all subsequent required documents,
31	including but not limited to, Business Tax Receipt, Florida Resale

1	(5) Mailing address, physical address, telephone number(s) and email
2	address of the applicant.
3	(6) Product category to be sold.
4	(7) Requested Location including road name, side of road (north, south, east,
5	west), and distance, in feet, from the nearest intersection.
6	(8) Execution of an indemnification agreement stating that in consideration
7	of the County issuing a Permit, pursuant to the provisions of this
8	Ordinance, the Permittee hereby releases, hold harmless, and agrees to
9	indemnify and defend the County, its agents, employees, and successors
0	from any and all liability, causes of action, claims, and/or lawsuits, as
1	well as any and all damages, judgments, settlements, attorney fees, costs
12	and other expenses that arise or may ever arise as a result of the vending
13	operation at an approved Location.
14	(b) Applicant must submit the completed signed Application for Permit, along
15	with applicable fees to the Engineering Department.
16	(c) The Engineering Department shall evaluate the availability of the requested
17	Location. If the requested Location is found to be incligible, the applicant
18	may request an alternate Location, but must pay an additional Location
19	evaluation fee for each alternate Location requested.
20	(d) Once a Location is approved, the applicant shall be issued an Intent to Permit
21	(hereinafter "Intent"). This Intent is needed to obtain a business tax receipt
22	from the County. An Intent is valid twenty (20) business days from date of
23	issuance. An Intent essentially reserves the Location while the applicant
24	obtains all necessary documents. The Intent does not allow the applicant to
25	operate at the Location. If an Intent expires before a Permit is issued, the
26	Location shall become available to others and the applicant may reapply.
27	(e) A Permit shall be issued only after the applicant has provided the
28	Engineering Department with:
29	(1) An original Certificate of Insurance evidencing the following:
30	a. Name of insured is same as the applicant's name on <i>Application</i>
31	for Permit (including Fictitious Name, if applicable).

1	b. Commercial general liability insurance including contractual
2	liability, in the minimum amount of Five Hundred Thousand
3	Dollars (\$500,000.00) per occurrence.
4	c. Coverage effective through or beyond the Permit expiration date.
5	d. Palm Beach County as both certificate holder and additional
6	insured.
7	e. Location as specified on Application for Permit (a single policy
8	may cover multiple Locations).
9	(2) A copy of a receipt showing payment in full for insurance coverage
10	specified above.
11	(3) A performance bond or other satisfactory security in the minimum
12	amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to secure any costs which
13	may be incurred by the County due to applicant's noncompliance with this
14	Ordinance or damage resulting to roadway pavements, sidewalks or other
15	improvements. The bond or other security must be issued to same name
16	as the applicant's name on Application for Permit (including Fictitious
17	Name, if applicable) and must specify Location(s) covered. Coverage
18	must be through or beyond Permit expiration date. Each bond or other
19	satisfactory security must be for only one Permittee. One performance
20	bond or other satisfactory security may be used for two (2) Permits issued
21	to same Permittee.
22	(4) A current Palm Beach County Business Tax Receipt with:
23	a. The same name as the applicant on Application for Permit
24	(including Fictitious Name, if applicable);
25	b. The Location as specified on Application for Permit; and
26	c. The product Category as specified on the Application for Permit.
27	(5) For all product categories except Produce, evidence of a current Florida
28	Resale Certificate showing the Palm Beach County sales tax number, as
29	provided by Florida Department of Revenue laws and/or regulations,
30	issued to the same name as the applicant's name on the Application for
31	Permit (including Fictitious Name, if applicable). A sales tax number

1		tro	om another county is not sufficient. One sales tax number may be used
2		fo	r two (2) Permits issued to the same Permittee.
3		(6) Fc	or Prepared Food only, a valid license from the State's Division of
4		Н	otel and Restaurants issued to same name as applicant's name on the
5		A	oplication for Permit (including Fictitious Name, if applicable).
6		(7) Pa	syment of all applicable fees.
7	(f)	Each	Permit issued by the Engineering Department shall:
8		(1)	Specify Permittee's name (including Fictitious Name, if applicable),
9			Location, product category, size of vending vehicle, expiration date of
10			Permit, insurer and policy expiration date.
11		(2)	Specify authorized hours of operation, which shall be one-half (1.2)
12			hour after sunrise to one-half (1/2) hour before sunset, except as may
13			be otherwise restricted by the Engineering Department.
14		(3)	List any special conditions and/or restrictions necessary to assure
15			compliance with this Ordinance and to protect the public from undue
16			harm or risk.
17		(4)	Include a summary of the provisions of this Ordinance to be signed
18			by Permittee certifying that Permittee has read and understands the
19			provisions and agrees to abide by them.
20		(5)	Be accompanied by an official waterproof metal permit plate.
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22	SECTION 23-10 :	3. FEI	<u>ES.</u>
23	(a)	A no	on-refundable application fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) shall be
24		subr	mitted with the Application for Permit. This fee is intended to cover the
25		cost	of processing an application and conducting one Location evaluation.
26		lt a	pplies to applications for new Permits and voluntary relocations.
27		Арр	lications for County-mandated relocations are exempt from this fee. A
28		non-	refundable fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall be submitted with the
29		App	lication for Permit renewal.
30	(b)	A r	non-refundable annual Permit fee of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars
31		(\$25	0.00) shall be paid at the time of Permit issuance. This fee is to defray
32		the	cost of issuing Permits, administering the Roadside Vendor Program,

Ĭ	addro	essing complaints, perform	ming inspection	ns, and genera	al enforcement of
2	this	Ordinance. The Permit	fee shall be	One Hundr	red Fifty Dollars
3	(\$150	0.00) for Permits issued	on or after Jur	ne 1 of a par	ticular year. The
4	only	exception to this non-refi	undable fee is	when a Permi	it has been issued
5	in err	or. In such cases, a pro-	rated portion o	f the annual P	Permit fee shall be
6	refun	ded to the applicant, upo	on request, wh	en a Permit	for an alternative
7	Loca	tion is not issued.			
8	(c) Non-	refundable miscellaneous	fees shall be c	harged as folk	ows:
9	(1)	Wait List Fee: Twent	y Dollars (\$20	.00). If an a	pplicant desires a
10		Location currently p	permitted to	another Busi	ness Entity, the
11		applicant may submit	a Wait List	Application f	for that Location.
12		(Note: Wait Lists expi			
13		still desired beyond J		·	
14		fee must be submitted			
15	(2)	Additional Location	evaluation fee	:: Fifty Dolla	ars (\$50.00). This
16		fee applies when an a	pplicant reques	sts that a Loca	ation be evaluated
17		in order to relocate	and also appli	es to each r	ootential alternate
18		Location requested	thereafter, by	the applica	int that requires
19		evaluation.			
20	(3)	Replacement of meta	l plate: Thirty	Dollars (\$30.0	00).
21	(4)	Replacement of pape	r permit: Twen	ty Dollars (\$2	20.00).
22	(d) No	o Permits shall be issued t	o a given Busii	ness Entity ha	ving unpaid fees.
23	(e) <u>St</u>	ummary of Fee Schedule:			
24			Application	Permit	Total
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26		nual Fees	¢10000	\$250.00	\$250.00
27		v Permit (prior to	\$100.00	\$250.00	\$350.00
28		ne I)	\$100.00	\$150.00	\$250.00
29		v Permit	3100.00	\$130.00	3230.00
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33		iscellaneous Fees			
34	A. Ma	ndated Relocation	N/A	N/A	N/A
35	B. Vo	luntary Relocation	\$100.00	N/A	\$100.00
36	C. Ado	ditional Location	\$50.00	N/A	\$50.00
37	Е	valuation			
38	D. W	'ait List	\$20.00	N/A	\$20.00
39	E. M	letal Plate Replacement	\$30.00	N/A	\$30.00
40		aper Permit Replacement	\$20.00	N/A	\$20.00

1 2	(f)This section is effective beginning with permits issued for 2009.
3	*** SECTION 23-104. CONDITIONS OF PERMIT.
5	Once issued, Permits are valid subject to all of the following conditions which apply to
	both Permittees and their employees (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Vendors"). Failure
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7	to comply with any of these conditions shall result in the assignment of points which may result
8	in revocation of the Permit.
9	(1) A Permit is valid only for the specific Business Entity to whom it was issued. No
10	Permit may be sold or transferred to another Business Entity.
11	(2) The Vendor must not set-up prior to authorized hours of operation and must
12	vacate the Location upon the close of authorized hours.
13	(3) The Vendor must not engage in any violence or disturbance at the Location which
14	could necessitate law enforcement intervention.
15	(4) The Vendor may operate only from the Location specified on the Permit.
16	(5) The Vendor must cease vending within twenty-four (24) hours of notice by the
17	Engineering Department of County mandated relocation.
18	(6) All equipment and items used in the vending operation are to be removed from
19	the right-of-way no later than one-half (1/2) hour before sunset, and are not to be replaced any
20	sooner than one-half (1/2) hour after sunrise on the next day.
21	(7) No Location shall be operated in such a manner as to require, promote or cause
22	any vehicles to stop, stand or park in violation of, or visually impair an official traffic control
23	device, including but not limited to, signs, signals and markings erected by authority of the
24	County for the purpose of regulating, moving or guiding traffic.
25	(8) The vending vehicle must be set back a minimum of twelve (12) feet from the
26	travel lane to ensure "adequate site safe distance."
27	(9) Vendor must maintain required minimum general liability coverage and
28	performance bond, or other satisfactory security, through the end of the Permit year.
29	(10) Only the product category specified on the Permit may be sold.
30	(11) Freestanding signs, flags, banners, tents, tarpaulins or awnings are not allowed
31	within the road right-of-way. All signs, flags, banners, tents, tarpaulins or awnings must be
32	attached to, or resting against the vending vehicle/equipment. No tables, chairs or umbrellas are

to be set up for use by customers outside the vending vehicle. Within the confines of the Vehicle

- used by the vendor, one (1) table and a maximum of two (2) chairs is allowed. In addition, any
- 2 permitted operation, pursuant to this Ordinance, shall not display or otherwise erect freestanding
- 3 signs, flags, banners or tents on public or private property or anywhere on the right-of-way
- 4 outside of the permitted operation area.
- 5 (12) Vendors shall maintain mobility at all times of operation. A vehicle must be at
- 6 the Location to provide a means of immediate evacuation in case of an emergency.
- 7 (13) The vending area is to be kept free from garbage, litter and debris and in 8 compliance with all applicable health laws.
- 9 (14) Vendors must notify the Engineering Department of any site changes which
- impact eligibility of the Location. Examples: installation of a sidewalk, driveway, bike path or
- 11 pathway, residential development, other road construction in the area.
- 12 (15) Both Permit and Permit plate must be maintained at the Location during all times
- of operation, and be available upon request. The Permit plate shall be clearly visible from the
- 14 road.
- 15 (16) The total vending area of operation is not to exceed three hundred (300) square
- 16 feet in the urban service areas as defined in the Comprehensive Plan. This includes but is not
- 17 limited to space taken up by the vending vehicle, signs, equipment, product and any awnings,
- tents and canopies.
- 19 Outside the urban service area, the total vending area of operation for prepared
- 20 food only is not to exceed five hundred (500) square feet. This includes but is not limited to
- 21 space taken up by the vending vehicle, signs, equipment, product and any awnings, tents and
- 22 canopies.
- 23 (18) The Permittee must provide the Engineering Department with written notification
- of a change of mailing address, physical address, phone number and email address.
- 25 (19) The Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local
- 26 laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.

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SECTION 23-108. VOLUNTARY RELOCATION.

A Permittee may request relocation of his/her current Permit by submitting either an

Application for Permit or a Wait List Application with applicable fees. Any application for

voluntary relocation shall be subject to the same review as a new application.

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SECTION 23-109. RENEWAL OF PERMIT.

- (a) All Permits issued under this Ordinance shall expire on December 31 of each year. The right to vend expires with the Permit. Vending with an expired Permit is a violation of this Ordinance.
- (b) To renew a Permit, the applicant must submit the renewal application fee, an *Application for Permit* and all necessary documentation showing continuing compliance with all provisions of this Ordinance. The Engineering Department shall evaluate the continuing availability of the Location. Once a Location is approved, the applicant must also submit the annual Permit fee.
- 10 (e) The right to renew at an existing Location expires at the close of business of the tenth (10th) business day after the Permit expiration date. If Permittee has not completed the renewal process by then, the Permit shall be considered surrendered. Permit seniority will be lost and the Location will become available to others.

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SECTION 23-110. REVOCATION OF PERMIT.

- provisions of this Ordinance, any other County ordinances, state statutes or federal laws.

 Vendors are expected to comply with all rules and regulations. Permittees may be held accountable for actions of their employees. Grounds for revocation include, but are not limited to the following:
- 21 (1) Procurement of a Permit through fraud, misrepresentation, false or misleading statements.
- 23 (2) Failure to comply with any Conditions of Permit.
- Vending without a fully opaque covering so that no portion of the male or female genitals, pubic area, 1/3 of the buttocks and any portion of the female breast below the top of the areola is exposed.
- 27 (4) Failure to maintain the integrity of the pavement edge and stabilization of the road.
 - (b) A point system is established for each violation offense. A list of offenses and their point assignments, attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein, shall be issued with each Permit. An accumulation of ten (10) points within any twenty-four (24) month period shall result in revocation of that Permit. All accumulated points for a given Permit shall be

- cleared if no additional points are assigned on that Permit for a twelve (12) month period. Once
 the accumulated points have been cleared, the next offense in a particular category shall be
- 3 treated as a first offense. Points are cumulative for a given permit. If a Business Entity has two
- 4 (2) Permits, points are tallied separately for each.

address for Permittee on record.

- A violation report shall be issued and shall include the Permit number, name of Permittee, time and date, Location, name of individual vending and nature of violation(s), as well as required corrective action, if any. A copy of the report shall be given to the individual vending at the site. The original shall be maintained on file at the Engineering Department. This report shall indicate all violations observed. Points shall only be assigned for the highest violation cited at any given time. However, subsequent occurrences of any of the cited violations shall be assigned points for subsequent (not first) occurrences. A copy of the violation report and a statement of points assigned, both current and cumulative, shall be mailed return receipt requested to the Permittee at the physical address on record. If the cumulative total is ten (10) points or more, the statement shall include official notification of revocation of the Permit. Revocation shall be effective upon the fifth (5th) day after mailing this notice to the last known
 - (d) Once a Permit has been revoked, both the Permit and the permit plate must be surrendered to the Engineering Department. This must be done even in instances where Permittee intends to appeal revocation. The County Engineer or his duly authorized representative(s) may request both Permit and permit plate at time of violation. If not, it is the Permittee's responsibility to surrender both, either in person or by mail, to the Engineering Department. Failure or refusal to do so after notification of revocation shall subject Permittee to penalties provided herein.
 - (e) When a Permit is revoked, the current number of allowable Permits for that Business Entity is decreased by one (1). This decrease remains in effect for a period of two (2) years from the date of revocation. At the end of two (2) years, the number of allowable Permits shall be increased by one (1).
 - (f) A modified revocation will occur in cases where a Permit has been issued in error including, but not limited to, on private, state or municipal roads, roads with insufficient right-of-way, within a municipality, abutting a residence, adjacent to a sidewalk or bike path. A modified revocation means that vending must cease immediately, but no points are assigned nor is the number of allowable Permits for this Business Entity decreased. Engineering staff shall assist

the Permittee with relocation, if requested. No additional fees shall be charged. If the Permittee 1 2 decides to surrender the Permit a pro-rated portion of the annual Permit fee shall be refunded, 3 upon request. 4 5 SECTION 23-111 APPEAL 6 (a) The following appeal process applies to both denial and revocation of a Permit and 7 will be heard by a Palm Beach County Hearing Officer authorized under Article 17, Chapter C. 8 Section 7 of the Unified Land Development Code. 9 (1) The applicant (denial) or Permittee (revocation) shall submit to the Engineering 10 Department within seven (7) working days of notification of denial or revocation, a 11 notice of appeal along with a statement setting forth the grounds for appeal and all 12 allegations as to why the Permit should not be denied or revoked. The Engineering 13 Department shall forward this notice of appeal, together with a report of the 14 circumstances surrounding the denial or revocation to the Hearing Officer. 15 (2) The decision of the Hearing Officer shall be conclusive and final. Should the 16 Hearing Officer reverse the denial or revocation, the Permit shall be issued or 17 reinstated. All parties shall bear their own costs and expenses of such proceedings 18 and no damages shall be compensable as a result of any County action hereunder. 19 (b) The appeal process for a violation is as follows: 20 The Permittee shall submit to the Engineering Department within seven (7) working 21 days the notice of violation, a notice of appeal, a statement setting forth the grounds 23 for appeal and all allegations as to why the violation(s) should not be cited. The 23 decision of the County Engineer or his duly authorized representative(s) shall be 24 conclusive and final. Should the decision reverse the violation citation, any points 25 assigned shall be removed. 26 *** 27 2. REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT.

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repealed to the extent of such conflict.

All local laws and ordinances in conflict with any provisions of this Ordinance are hereby

3. SEVERABILITY.

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2 If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Ordinance is for any 3 reason held by the Court to be unconstitutional, inoperative, or void, such holding shall not affect the remainder of this Ordinance. 4 4. INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES. 5 The provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Laws 6 7 and Ordinances of Palm Beach County, Florida. The sections of this Ordinance may be 8 renumbered or relettered to accomplish such, and the word "ordinance" may be changed to 9 "section", "article", or other appropriate word. 10 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. 11 The provisions of this Ordinance shall become effective upon filing with the Department of State. 12 13 APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, this 9th day of September 14 , 2008. 15 SHARON R. BOCK, CLERK & 16 PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY ITS COMPTROLLER **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** 17 18 19 20 21 FLORIDA 22 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND 23 24 LEGAL SUFFICIENCY 25 26 27 **Assistant County Attorney** 28 29 Filed with the Department of State on the 18th day of 30 **EFFECTIVE DATE:** September , 2008. 31 32 33

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Exhibit A

PALM BEACH COUNTY ROADSIDE VENDOR PROGRAM VIOLATION POINT ASSIGNMENTS

POINTS PER OCCURRENCE

OCC	CURRENCE	
1 ST	SUBSEQ.	VIOLATION / OFFENSE
10	N/A	Procurement of permit through fraud, misrepresentation, and/or false or misleading statements.
10	N/A	Sale or transfer of (or attempt to sell or transfer) permit/location to another business entity.
10	N/A	Failure to maintain required minimum general liability coverage and performance bond through the end of the permit year.
05	05	Failure to comply with applicable federal, state and/or local laws, rules or regulations.
05	05	Vending before/after authorized hours of operation, as stated on permit. Failure to vacate vending location at end of vending day.
05	05	Violence or disturbance which results in law enforcement intervention.
05	05	Failure to vend at the location stated on permit.
05	05	Continuing to vend from a location more than 24 hours after being notified by Engineering of County-mandated relocation.
03	05	Vending attire does not meet requirements of ordinance.
03	05	Failure to remove all vending equipment/items at end of vending day.
03	05	Vending in a manner that interferes with the health, safety and/or welfare of the general public. Examples: creation of physical or sight obstruction; promotion of violation of official traffic control devices; inadequate set-back from road; inadequate sight distances.
03	05	Sale of unauthorized goods or items.
03	05	Use of free standing signs, flags, banners, or tents. Set up of tables, chairs and/or umbrellas for customer use.
03	05	Failure to maintain mobility at all times.
01	03	Failure to keep vending area free from garbage, litter and debris.
01	03	Failure to inform Engineering/Traffic of any site changes which impact eligibility of location.
01	03	Failure to have both plate and permit at vending location, with plate clearly visible from the road at all times.
01	03	Exceeding the maximum allowed square footage area (300 sq ft or 500 sq ft) depending on service location and product category.
01	03	Failure to maintain integrity of the pavement edge and stabilization of the road.
01	03	Operating with an expired or suspended permit.
01	03	Failure to provide Engineering/Traffic with written notification of change of mailing address.

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